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Anthony Patrick Mauro II et al. ) For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
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Filed: December 19, 2001 ) GENERATION  
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